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In re' Application of : Thomas Muir
Application No. : 09/483,543
Filing Date : January 14, 2000
Examiner : John P. Weber, Ph.D
Group Art Unit : 1651
Entitled : Multiple Sensor-Containing
Polypeptides, Methods of
Preparation And Uses
Thereof"

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR
RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated October 5,
2001, please amend the above-identified application as
follows: \

In the specification:

At page 9, line 24 of the specification, please replace the
existing paragraph with the following:

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--In yet another aspect of the invention, a method is provided
for identifying an agent capable of modulating the activity of
a protein kinase capable of phosphorylating Crk-II, by changes
in the relative proximity among at least a first position and